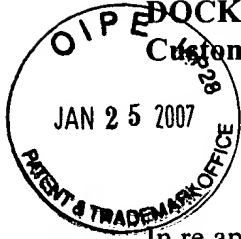


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In re application of: : Charles R. Spinner, III, et al.

Serial No. : 09/871,463

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For : BARRIER FILM DEPOSITION OVER METAL FOR
REDUCTION IN METAL DISHING AFTER CMP

Group No. : 2815

Examiner : M.E. Warren

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a one month extension of time for filing an Amendment in response to Office Action mailed September 20, 2006. The response period is presently set to expire on December 20, 2006, and if this Petition for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be January 20, 2007 (Saturday).

A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the one-month extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Munck Butrus Deposit Account No. 50-0208.


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Respectfully submitted,

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